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There has been a submission on Planning for Melbourne’s Industrial and Commercial Land through Engage Victoria

A copy of the submission is provided as below:

Planning principles and strategies for employment land.

The draft Melbourne industrial and commercial land use plan includes principles and strategies to guide planning for industrial and commercial land. (page 32).

Do you think the principles and strategies provide enough clarity and guidance to assist planning for industrial and commercial land?
Yes

If no, please let us know why and how they could be improved.
Further, consideration for future residential land to accompany commercial should be given.
Criteria to identify regionally-significant industrial precincts.

Plan Melbourne identifies state-significant industrial precincts. The draft Melbourne industrial and commercial land use plan identifies regionally-significant industrial precincts and includes criteria used as the basis to identify these locations (page 34).

Do you support the criteria developed to identify regionally-significant industrial precincts?
Yes

If no, please let us know why and how they could be improved.

Purpose for regionally-significant industrial precincts and local industrial precincts.

Plan Melbourne outlines a purpose for state-significant industrial precincts. The draft Melbourne industrial and commercial land use plan identifies a purpose for regionally-significant industrial precincts and local industrial precincts (page 35).

Do you support the purpose developed for regionally-significant industrial precincts and local industrial precincts?
Yes

If no, please let us know why and how they could be improved.

Industrial uses should be minimized near
Developing local industrial land use strategies.

Appendix 2 of the draft Melbourne industrial and commercial land use plan proposes guidance for developing local industrial land use strategies.

Do you have any comments or suggestions to improve the guidance for developing local industrial land use strategies?

Reviewing what land use will be appropriate, based on the existing surrounding area. I.e. Campbellfield and Coolaroo's close proximity to residential dwellings. There needs to be further considered for existing uses and infrastructure. Upfield Station as an example. It is surrounded by residential, factories where toxic fires happen and a half-empty Ford site. Having a train station, and existing residential, industrial should not be prioritised in this immediate area. Sensitive industrial and commercial may be viable, but a sufficient buffer should be put into place.

Key industrial and commercial areas.

The draft Melbourne industrial and commercial land use plan identifies and describes key industrial and commercial areas for each of the six metropolitan regions (refer to Part B of the plan).

Have the key industrial and commercial areas been adequately identified and described across the regions?

No

If no, please let us know which other area we should identify or how the areas can be
better described.

West Footscray, Tottenham, Brooklyn, Altona and Campbellfield do not consider the existing residential supply. An increase in industrial activity in these regions could have a greater negative effect on existing air quality and potential for hazards.

Would you like to comment on any other aspects of the plan?

There needs to be considerations for residential. Commercial 1 Zoning can really benefit residential areas. Industrial zoning can have both positive and negative effects, by providing employment and limiting air quality. Further considerations around how commercial and industrial uses affect other zones need to be made.

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